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Announcements

Every Child Ready to Read – 2nd Edition Webinars

Elaine Meyers will introduce participants to the new **Every Child Ready to Read @Your Library, 2nd edition**. The webinars are designed for library staff who were not able to attend the in-person training offered last fall. One ECRR toolkit is being provided to every public library in Arizona that participates in training on the resources. Webinar topics are:

- **August 27** - How to Prepare and Present the Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library Core Workshops for Parents and Parents with Children
- **September 10** - How to Prepare and Present the Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library Parent and Child Workshops
- **September 17** - Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library: Partnerships and Early Learning Environments

Elaine Meyers has worked with both editions of ECRR and most recently as a consultant on the 2nd edition.

Register at <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>. For more information on the Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library program see: <http://www.everychildreadytoread.org/>. For more information, contact Holly Henley, hhenley@azlibrary.gov.

Public Library Statistics: Introduction

Public Library Statistics: Introduction is an overview of the collection and reporting process in Arizona. We'll talk about why statistics are collected; discuss the broad categories collected; review the online submission process using LibPAS; and talk about how librarians can use stats to tell their library stories. This session is a must for new library directors and managers, as well as anyone charged with collecting and reporting library statistical data to the State Library.

- **Sept. 6th**, 9-11 a.m. – Ak-Chin Community Library, Maricopa
- **Sept. 7th**, 9-11 a.m. – Carnegie Center, Phoenix

- **Sept. 13th**, 9:30-11 a.m. - Webinar
- **Sept. 14th**, 10 a.m.-Noon – Pima County Community College, South Tucson Branch Library
- **Sept. 21st**, 10 a.m.-Noon – Flagstaff City-Coconino County Public Library

Register at <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>. For more information, contact Laura Stone, lstone@azlibrary.gov.

Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New

Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New is a fast-paced session looking at additions and changes to the public library statistics survey. The 2011-12 survey has a number of new questions on technology, as well as a new section asking about the kinds of services your library offers. Also discussed are changes to several definitions. All library directors, managers and everyone charged with collecting and reporting library stats are encouraged to attend.

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Basic Book Repair

This workshop is designed to demonstrate quick and easy techniques for extending shelf life on general circulating materials. Prevention is the key, but the workshop will address specific, common repairs:

- Re-inserting loose pages
- Broken spines
- Torn header caps
- Ripped & torn pages, etc.

September 10th, 1-4 p.m. in Globe. Each participant will be provided with a free sample packet of materials. There will be a drawing for a free kit. Presenter, **Kary Barth**, has presented book protection/repair workshops in various venues throughout the US. Register at <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>.

Digital Trailers for the 21st Century Library

Join us for a fun and interactive workshop designed for 21st century librarians! Participants will learn how to entice readers through creating book trailers of popular books for every age using digital media and a little creativity. Book trailers are the perfect vehicle to stimulate readers' interest. Learn how to create trailers from scratch and harness available technologies found on your computer and the Internet.

Workshop presenter, **Naomi Bates**, has been a school librarian for the past 12 years. Prior to that, she taught high school English and speech. Naomi's passions are YA books, technology, and continuing to learn and grow in today's rapidly evolving, vibrant library world. She maintains an active web presence including a blog, YA Books and More, a YouTube Channel, and Twitter.

September 13th, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at Burton Barr Central Library, Phoenix. For more information, contact Dale Savage, dsavage@azlibrary.gov. Sign up today at <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>. May be counted for Library Practitioner Certification credit.

Get Real: Getting Kids Excited about Nonfiction

The Arizona Common Core Standards will require a much greater reliance on nonfiction. From practical experience booktalking to thousands of kids, *School Library Journal* columnist and nationally known workshop leader **Kathleen Baxter**, the Nonfiction Booktalker, feels that nonfiction can be the key to getting kids to read.

Workshop participants will be motivated and energized as they acquire a practical repertoire of dozens of booktalks and books that appeal to kids and meet standards in this laughter-filled, fast-moving workshop. Participants will receive annotated handouts.

September 14th & 15th, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Carnegie Center, Phoenix. For more information, contact Dale Savage, dsavage@azlibrary.gov. Sign up today at <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>. May be counted for Library Practitioner Certification credit.

Serving People with Mental Illness or Disability in Your Library

Chris Perez, a seasoned Phoenix area law enforcement professional who brings unique clinical and field experience, will discuss problematic and disruptive behaviors along with strategies for dealing with difficult patrons and how to read behavioral cues to avoid abuse and assault.

September 28th, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the Prescott Valley Public Library. For more information, contact Dale Savage, dsavage@azlibrary.gov. Sign up today at <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>. May be counted for 3 contact hours in Facilities.

Archives 101: A PRACTICAL, ONE-DAY WORKSHOP FOR THOSE WHO WORK WITH HISTORICAL RECORDS BUT ARE NOT TRAINED ARCHIVISTS!

The **Basics of Archives** is for people who work or volunteer in organizations that deal with the past — whether it's a museum, historic house, the city clerk's office, the library's local history room, a historic site, or a college archives. You'll get practical advice, sample forms and policies, and learn basic practices you need to follow so that you can collect, protect, and help people use the historical treasures in your care.

In this workshop you'll learn:

- What historical records are—and aren't.
- How to decide what to keep so you have historical records that people want to use.
- How to make sure you have legal title to your collections.
- How to handle collections when you get them so you know what you've got and where it's at.
- How to protect your collections from theft.
- How to deal with copyright issues.
- What tools you need to create to help users find the information in your collections.
- How to take care of historical records so they are preserved and can be used in the future.
- How to let people know what you have and how to get people excited about using your collections.
- And—where to go when you need help!

September 28th, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Polly Rosenbaum State Archives & History Building, Phoenix. Register at <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>. For more information contact Eden Robins, erobins@azlibrary.gov.

The Accidental Trainer

Library staff are often responsible for conducting training for co-workers and patrons in many different situations. This workshop will help you feel comfortable and prepared to present engaging learning opportunities. Discover how people learn best, how to create an interactive environment, strategies for communicating more effectively, and techniques for using activities and storytelling to increase learning and retention. This train-the-trainer workshop will help you save time, lower stress, and increase training success!

Participants will be able to organize and design quality presentations and training opportunities using:

- learning outcomes and other planning techniques
- adult learning principles (how we learn and how to help others learn)
- hands-on activities that increase learning, participation, and retention
- training delivery methods that go beyond a mere lecture

October 16th, 9 a.m.-Noon, Carnegie Center, Phoenix. Workshop presenter, **Stephanie Gerding**, has over fifteen years of professional experience training library staff and developing training programs through non-profit, government and library organizations. Stephanie had created curriculums for national conferences and delivered online workshops sharing library best practices in the areas of grants, training and advocacy.

Library Tour: Heard Museum, Billie Jane Baguley Library & Archives

The Heard Museum is home to the Billie Jane Baguley Library and Archives - a comprehensive research facility that includes information about indigenous art and cultures from around the world and an unparalleled resource file containing information about Native American artists.

The collections of the Heard Museum Library and Archives serve the research needs and educational mission of the Heard Museum. Particularly strong are the library holdings in Native American art and culture with an emphasis on the Southwest, Native American fine art, indigenous arts of Oceania, Africa, Asia and the Arctic regions, and works created by Native American authors including creative writing and a variety of Native studies.

September 20th, 9:30-11 a.m. Heard Museum, Phoenix. Tour will gather in the lobby at 9:30 a.m. Limited to 20 participants. Register at <http://www.azlibrary/eventreg/>.

Public Library Statistics Update

The 2010-11 Arizona public library statistics are now available at: <http://www.azlibrary.gov/extension/apls.aspx>. The State Library will be sending out login information about the 2011-12 statistical collections at the end of August.

IMLS reports that the Public Libraries Search and Compare tools have been updated with the FY2010 PLS unimputed suppressed data. Please see http://www.ims.gov/research/public_libraries_in_the_united_states_survey.aspx and click on the links provided.

Arizona Recollections and Reflections: An Arizona Centennial Historymakers Commemoration

Celebrate Arizona's Centennial by turning 320 pages of history in this beautiful leather-bound 8.5"x9.5" book. Complimentary copies are now available for libraries



across the state thanks to generous sponsors. Contact Ruth McLeod, ruthmcLeod@earthlink.net 602-861-9490 for information. www.historicallleague.org.

World Book Night 2013

WORLD BOOK NIGHT 2013 (April 23, 2013) is a celebration of literacy by publishers, bookstores, libraries and individuals who love books and reading. On WORLD BOOK NIGHT 2013, 25,000 “book givers” will each give away 20 copies of a specially-printed, not-for-resale WBN edition of book they have read and loved (from a list of 25-30 titles selected by librarians and booksellers) to complete strangers – people who may never have owned a book of their own. To promote this literacy event, libraries and bookstores – as organizational participants in the event – form a nationwide advocacy and distribution network.

If you are interested please fill out the form at <http://connect.ala.org/node/183788> and return to Danielle M. Alderson at dalderson@ala.org, fax to 312.280.5013 or mail to Attn: Danielle M. Alderson, American Library Association, 50 East Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611. **Deadline is October 1, 2012.**

The Big Read – Arizona Reads The Grapes of Wrath

The Big Read, an initiative of the National Endowment for the Arts, the Institute of Museum and Library Services, and Arts Midwest, is designed to restore literary reading to the center of American culture. The program provides citizens with the opportunity to read and discuss a single book with their communities and participate in meaningful and engaging adult and youth multi-disciplinary programming. For more information on how your library can participate, you may contact Janene Van Leeuwen, jvleeuwen@westvalleyarts.org, 623-935-6384.



Show Off Your LSTA Project at the Upcoming AzLA Annual Conference



The State Library will be presenting an AzLA pre-conference, “**Idea Circus: 25 Great Library Projects to Inspire**” on Thursday, Nov. 8th, 9 a.m. to noon, at South Mountain Community College. If you are a current or recent project LSTA project director, please consider participating by 1) Completing an Idea Circus Worksheet and/or 2) Making a very brief (3 minutes) presentation during the session. If you’d like a copy of the worksheet template, or to volunteer your services, please contact **Laura Stone** at lstone@azlibrary.gov.

Clean Elections Candidate Materials Available to Libraries

Once again this year, the Citizens Clean Elections Commission will be providing Primary and General Election Candidate Statement Pamphlets (CSP) at no cost to libraries around the state. To request print copies (English/Spanish version and/or Large Print version) of the CSP’s, contact **Paula Thomas** at 602-364-3477 ext. 203, toll-free 877-631-8891, or via email at paula.thomas@azcleelections.gov.

Free Online Training from Around the Country

Check out these calendars of free online educational opportunities:

[College of DuPage Teleconferences \(Archives\)](#)

[Online Programming for All Libraries \(OPAL\)](#)

[SirsiDynix Institute](#)

[TechSoup Webinar Archive](#)

[WebJunction Webinar Archives](#)

[ALA Booklist Online Webinars](#)

Continuing Education Events

Unless otherwise indicated, registration for the following trainings is FREE.

August

23rd—[Telling the Library Story](#)

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m., WebJunction Webinar

<http://www.webjunction.org/content/webjunction/events/wj.html>

27th—[Every Child Ready to Read: How to Prepare & Present the Every Child Ready to Read@Your Library Core Workshops for Parents & Parents with Children](#)

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m., AZ State Library Webinar <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

September

6th—[Public Library Statistics: Introduction](#)

9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Ak-Chin Indian Community Library

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

6th—[Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New](#)

11:00 a.m.-Noon. Ak-Chin Indian Community Library

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

6th—[Engaging Your Whole Community: Principles and Practice to Influence Policy](#)

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m., WebJunction Webinar

<http://www.webjunction.org/content/webjunction/events/wj.html>

7th—[Public Library Statistics: Introduction](#)

9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Carnegie Center, Phoenix

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7th—[Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New](#)

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Carnegie Center, Phoenix

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10th—[Basic Book Repair](#)

1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Globe Public Library

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8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m., AZ State Library Webinar <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

11th—[Best Small Library in America 2012](#)

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m., WebJunction Webinar

<http://www.webjunction.org/content/webjunction/events/wj.html>

13th—[Digital Trailers for the 21st Century Library](#)

9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Burton Barr Central Library, Phoenix

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14th—[Get Real: Getting Kids Excited about Nonfiction](#)

9 a.m.-3 p.m. Carnegie Center, Phoenix

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14th—[Public Library Statistics: Introduction](#)

10:00 a.m.-Noon. Pima County Public Library, South Tucson Branch Library

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

14th—[Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New](#)

1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Pima County Public Library, South Tucson Branch Library

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

15th—[Get Real: Getting Kids Excited about Nonfiction](#)

9 a.m.-3 p.m. Carnegie Center, Phoenix

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

17th—[Every Child Ready to Read: Partnerships & Early Learning Environments](#)

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m., AZ State Library Webinar <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

20th—[Tour: Heard Museum – Billie Jane Baguley Library & Archives](#)

9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Heard Museum, Phoenix

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

21st—[Public Library Statistics: Introduction](#)

10:00 a.m.-Noon. Flagstaff City-Coconino County Public Library

AZ State Library Event Registration Page, <http://www.lib.az.us/eventreg/>

21st—[Public Library Stats in Arizona: What's New](#)

1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Flagstaff City-Coconino County Public Library

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28th—[Serving People with Mental Illness or Disability in Your Library](#)

9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Prescott Valley Public Library

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Conferences/Workshops/Other Events

Continuing Education Scholarships can help defray the costs of workshop and conference attendance.
[Click here to learn more about the scholarships.](#)

[R-Squared—The Risk & Reward Conference](#)

Telluride, CO
September 9-11, 2012

[Joint Conference of Librarians of Color 2012](#)

Kansas City, MO
September 19-23, 2012

[Association of Rural & Small Libraries \(ARSL\)](#)

Raleigh, NC
September 28-30, 2012

[Mountain Plains Library Association \(MPLA\)](#)

Omaha, NE
October 17-19, 2012

[Internet Librarian 2012](#)

Monterey, CA
October 22-24, 2012

[American Society of Information Services & Technology \(ASIS&T\)](#)

Baltimore, MD
October 26-31, 2012

[AzLA 2012 Annual Conference](#)

South Mountain Community College, Phoenix
November 8-10

[Educause Annual Conference](#)

Denver, CO
November 6-9, 2012